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Susan White
Permit Supervisor
Department of Natural Resources
State of Utah
1594 West North Temple
Salt Lake City, UT, 84114-5801

Dear Mrs. White,

I spoke with Mr. Doug Jensen via phone earlier this week concerning an extension on Cargill Salt's Surety Estimate. Cargill Salt is requesting an extension on the date your office requested for return of this information. Please grant a 30 day extension, with Cargill Salt providing the information no later than August 19th, 2006.

If there any questions about this matter, feel free to contact me at (435) 884-4147.

Sincerely,

Mark Whitson
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